

## Message Text

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E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: OREP (WOLFF, LESTER)  
SUBJECT: CODEL WOLFF PRESS COVERAGE

1. JANUARY 5 JAPAN TIMES CARRIES UPI ACCOUNT OF CODEL'S PRE-DEPARTURE PRESS CONFERENCE HIGHLIGHTING CHAIRMAN'S PROPOSAL, ALSO MADE IN AFTER-LUNCH REMARKS AT LUNCHEON HOSTED BY MINISTER USHIBA THAT JAPAN TAKE ON LARGER SHARE OF COST OF SUPPORTING US FORCES BASED HERE. UPI NOTED THAT CHAIRMAN SAID JAPANESE RESPONSE TO IDEA WAS NONCOMMITAL, BUT HE HAD PREDICTED INCREASING ATTENTION TO ISSUE IN WASHINGTON. KYODO WIRE SERVICE IN STORY ATTRIBUTED TO JAPANESE SOURCES, REPORTED THAT CHAIRMAN PROPOSED TO USHIBA AND OTHERS ESTABLISHMENT OF MUTUAL ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE AND COOPERATION AGREEMENT "TO REPLACE THE EXISTING BILATERAL SECURITY TREATY."

2. COMMENT: CHAIRMAN WOLFF AT NO TIME SUGGESTED REPLACING MST, WHICH HE REFERRED TO AS FOUNDATION OF US-JAPAN RELATIONSHIP.  
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